

Chapter 151: Request

Approximately one hour after the second bell at night, the owner came to bring back Faryl.

"What ..."(Owner)

The owner opened the door after knocking once, as he looked at the interior, his eyes opened wide with surprise.

What reflect before his eyes was Faryl playing with the 4 girls and laughing really happy.

"No way, Faryl is always shy of strangers, how could this happen..."(Owner)

Yes, to stay at this inn, all the guests must not discriminate or disturb Faryl, who is clearly inheriting the beastkin's blood.

Otherwise, they would leave the inn just by looking at Faryl sitting at the reception desk or got chased out by the owner.

But even if those guests weren't discriminating against beastkin, they were at most acquaintance level, just like the Rennie-chan with other customers. But Mile and other girls were at familiar level ... that was neither customers nor guests ... No, no, it's still a little different from a friendly relationship.

Well, Rennie-chan is already 10 years old when Faryl is still 6 years old. She hadn't heard many stories about the world still love playing so she is really happy, or so it seems...

Anyway, before the owner's eyes was his daughter, laughing with people other than family's members. And she laughed really happy, a scene the owner have never seen before.

His daughter was shy so there's no way she would laugh like this in front of stranger, but why even when there were only family's members, he has never seen his daughter laughing happy like this.

"....."(Owner)

Even though the inn's work is very busy, there might be some problems with how he take care of his daughter. The Owner thought so.

Next Morning

When the Mile and other girls went down to the first floor for meals, the owner seemed to be in the kitchen. Faryl-chan and 2 boys that were somewhat older, were serving and cleaning up in the cafeteria.

(Are those two Faryl's brothers? Is the mother also in the kitchen?) (Mile)

As Mile was looking at the children, she realized the boys looked like average people.

(Huh?) (Mile)

Mile wanted to ask question, but it wasn't the time to pry at the busy breakfast time.

Unlike at dinner time, the breakfast is time that people rush to have meal before working. It was quite busy even they were already preparing last night.

It wasn't good to cause employees anymore trouble for extra things like this. The girls thought they'd better be a good customer and eat quietly on a table.

(Huh?) (Mile)

Mile tilted her head again.

She glanced at a woman at the back of the kitchen.

Perhaps, that was the lady owner or rather the mother of Faryl-chan.

However, the woman also looked like an average human being.

Mile already got a glimpse of it, Faryl maybe a genetic heritage, and there may be some circumstances... etc

Miles decided not to look at anything and keeps on eating in silent.

The 4 girls returned to the room, took their dummy baggage and left the room. It is in a state of completely withdrawing from the room.

The girls planned to stay in this hotel tonight, but depending on the work they received, they might have to leave this city a days or two.

In preparation for that, the girls didn't leave any luggage, they planned to pay the fee for the first night.

"Could we have the bill please"(Rena)

"Ehhh!? Onee-chan, you are leaving!?"(Faryl)

Faryl was surprised by Rena 's words and looked sad. Maevis explained from the side in a hurry.

"No, we only go out to check requests.
If there's no good request or a request to leave the city, we will stay here tonight and even if we leave the city for request, we will come back again after we done"(Maevis)

Faryl was relieved by listening to it.
Apparently, she has grown attachment to [Red Oath] girls.

(Keikaku Doori) (Mile) (T.N: in case you don't know this meme, it means "Just according to the plan")



Mile was thinking just like the god of the New World.

Suddenly she spotted the book placed on the counter and there were some writing in the blank spaces next to where Mile and other girls' name were written.

Perhaps Faryl would like to make a (Death) note.

Mile was wondering what Faryl was writing, and reading it ...

Maevis is tall and handsome but there's no breasts. Maybe.

Rena seems to be kinky. Maybe she has mixed carnivore beastkin's blood. The same as me.

I feel Pauline is a bad girl. Probably.

Mile is petit. Probably.

(Uu, shut up!) (Mile)

[I'm not petit, I'm just average of all humans!] Although Mile wanted to retort, but of course she could never do that with a 6 years old girl.

However, if Rena or Pauline read this, it would be a problem.

Mile silent cast wind turning to next page of the guest book, hiding the page where their name was written.

(But for her to realize Pauline's nature! She is really amazing, or is it beastkin's instinct?) (Mile)

And, after completing the payment, [Red oath]party went to the Hunter Guild's Capital branch.

"We are [Red oath], a C rank hunter party that was registered in the Tyrus Kingdom's hunter guild branch.

In order to gain experience, we are going on a journey of learning and we are planning to stay in this town for a while. Please take care of us from now on" (Maevis)

"Oh, nice to meet you, I'm Felicia, receptionist.
Welcome to Chaleiraz Kingdom!"(Felicia)

When Maevis reported that the [Red oath]will work based on this city for a

while at the counter, the receptionist replied with a full smile.

"If you like, we will let the person in charge explain about this city and about monster, collecting spots ... *etc.* So do you want to hear it?"(Felicia)

"... Is there a charge?"(Pauline)

"Oh, no. Because the guild is supposed to give hunters various explanations and materials such as maps of the neighbourhood freely for those who coming from a far and are active in this city for a while.

We want to prevent unnecessary troubles in advance, because that is also the work of the guild staff"(Felicia)

If it was free, then no-one would complain. Pauline was the one asking but everyone agreed with that.

""""""Please!""""""(Red Oath)

A lot of gaze was directed to the [Red oath]that received explanation from the person in charge in the table for consultation.

(Hunters' POV, I guess)

[A slender beauty that looks like 17 to 18 years old. (Maevis 16 years old)

Big tits beautiful that looks like 16 to 17 years old. (Pauline 14 years old)

2 pretty girls that are around 12 to 13 years old. (Rena 15 years old, Mile 13 years old)

And the two of them are precious mages.

Furthermore, for their information, that girl just said they are a C rank party. So either both adults are B rank and 2 children are D rank or 1 adult is B rank 2 C rank and 1 D rank.]

In this country, there's no hunter training school, it would be strange for girls aged 12 to 13 to be a C rank hunter. No, even in Tyrus kingdom where there is a training school, such girls are still super rare.

Unless they have above average (special) talent or ability. Yes, just like powerful magical talent.

Also, it's unlikely for beautiful women under 20 years old to be B rank hunter. That[Mithril Roar]party have both ability and history working to reach B rank except their leader Guren. It's not a rank that average (normal) young girl can

reach.

In other words, this party is a [Young but have special talent, all beautiful girls, with no men]party, which would make bards want to sing a song or a poetry about them.

In Tyrus Kingdom, the majority of hunters based in the capital already saw that graduation test. So, most people knew the extraordinary ability as a newcomer of the [Red oath], so there would be no hunters dare to approach the girls when they are weaker even though they may have higher rank. Besides, if the hunters did something wrong, a warning would likely to hand down from the upper side.

[Upper side]. Yes, like high rank hunters, the guild official and lastly royal palace.

And in the end, it was decided as an unspoken rule [Let's just watch over them] However, in places that have not under such pressure, the [Red oath]seemed too delicious for other hunters to let them pass.

And now, here at the Hunter Guild Vanorak Capital city Branch, all of the parties who were in the guild at that time, mostly men, measured the timing to talk with the [Red oath]

And after the guild staff's explanation for the [Red oath]was over, Mile and other girls began to check the information board article. Even they wanted to talk but if they get in the way, the girls' impression about them would be worse, There was nothing they can do but wait.

After the information board, [Red oath]began to check the request board. This is the moment that the [Red oath]decides which request they will receive and talk with the receptionist. Then the receptionist will give advise because the girls don't know well about the hunting ground. She will tell the girls about whether they should do joint request from the beginning ...

Most of the parties that were aiming for [Red oath]thought of similar things. And because they knew each other, there would be an intense war between hunters.

"Ah!"(Mile)

At that time, Mile unexpectedly raised her voice.

"What's wrong, suddenly yell..."(Rena)

When Rena asked so, Mile pointed to one of the request forms on the board.

[Survey Request: Investigation of a group that conducts suspicious behavior in a Rocky Golem mountain. In some cases, this would become a captivity or subjugation request] (NOTICE)

4 girls looked at the request and looked at themselves in the face. In their mind, they remembered the appearance of the beastkins at the ruins before.

It seems that this suspicious group was also working for sometime around here.

And, Rena peeled off the request from the board.

"... Is it okay?"(Mile)

Mile was somewhat hesitate asking Rena.

"Well, this is one of the purposes of our journey after all.

Well, it maybe just a different thing that has nothing to do with what we are looking for.

And even if that's the case, we will still have no trouble with only beastkins.

Besides, if that really come out again, we will give out the names from the last time, I feel that they are likely agree to have a talk.

But I don't think a coincidence will happen so often"(Rena)

Heard Rena's words, Maevis and Pauline also nodded.

Last time that came out, even though Mile wasn't sure if this time would also go well.

She thought so, but Mile wanted to investigate this request, so she silently nodded as well.

The payment for this request is reasonable, but since it is an uncertain request content that people can't estimate the degree of danger and people can't even sure if they can meet the target party, it was a request that no one wanted to accept.

However, it looks like [Red oath]is receiving it, the hunters who were trying to bring a joint party were puzzled as the girls heading for receptionist.

Things didn't go according to the plan.

And one thing, the girls had forgotten about the Ancient Dragon's word at that time [In order to check the situation of many place, we asked the devils and beastkins to do the investigations at various places in our instead]and thought that the opponent this time was also beastkins. Everyone in the [Red oath]thought so.

Chapter 152: Extra Care

"...Ehh ... Uhm, do you really want to accept this request?"(Felicia)

When Maevis submitted the request form to the receptionist, Felicia, she was confirmed with a surprised face.

"Yes, that's right"(Maevis)

"Stop acting so reckless..."(Felicia)

(((((Ahhh, this pattern again...)))) (Red Oath)

As expected, the girls would get tired of it , it is already the third time.

"This request has unknown danger level.

There's also a high possibility that we will fail this request due to missing information.

We are all well aware why this request still remain here even after a long time. Even we are still young, but [Red oath]is a proper C rank hunter party, you don't have to worry.

And even if we fail this request, it will be our responsibility"(Rena)

As Rena said so, Felicia couldn't help but proceed the order as she was told.

Of course, Felicia knew that even though the girls are still young but [Red oath]is C rank party that many other parties wanted.

However, everyone only thought that the [Red oath]is a young, beautiful, pretty girls party with C ranking abilities. The girls was successful and got a rank C when they are still young and steadily progressing. And because the girls had talent, they let it go to their head. If people act so reckless, no matter how talented they are, they will not be able to survive. It was the biggest reason why talented hunters died young.

In other words, the probability that they can successfully complete the request that other parties avoid will be low. Felicia was concerned, that was logical act.

It was rare for hunter to be cute girls, courteous and say polite wording for guild staff.

Even though they already came all the way to this country, it will be a great deal for the guild here, however they want to show up by doing hard request. Felicia thought so, because the request received by the [Red oath] was a Red request, she had no choice but asking local hunters. She was issuing [that] somehow! There is no daredevil hunter in this kingdom dare to oppose Felicia. And (here comes the first Challenger) a certain five-person party came in.

"Yare yare, you girls just came to this country?
I'm not impressed with you receive such a dangerous request with many uncertainties on an unfamiliar land so suddenly.
How about you take other request instead. And if you absolutely want to receive this request, how about you have joint request with us?"(First Challenger)

This hunter party leader said that while smiling, his white teeth are sparkling. Apparently, he seems to have used that magic. (T.N: I thought it was shojo's manga handsome man's sparkling)

This party name is [Guardian's contract], they were known as a handsome party of five young men. But of course they didn't just have the looks, they still had enough ability of average male hunters around 20 years old. And they were all openly accepting women's relationships. As the party name suggests, they kept safe any pretty hunter girls they promised to protect.
Because a handsome party already went ahead of them, other parties were somewhat angry but they hesitated to come out as well. (T.N: these hunters might be the guys say something like normie go exploded)

The content of [Guardian's contract]'s offer was reasonable, and Felicia nodded in satisfy. Until [Red oath] replied back.

"We don't have time for extra care"(Rena)

"You can't even follow our moving speed ..."(Maevis)

"Share decreases!"(Pauline)

"Ahahahaha..."(Mile's wry smile)

"... ..."(First Challenger)

The leader of [Guardian's contract] was dumbfounded with of the responses of

[Red oath]girls

Even Felicia, the receptionist was the same.

"Well, isn't that a bit too much?"(First Challenger)

The leader tried to maintain his smile while talking.

For the [Red oath], their offer was an [extra care].

Literally, the girls mean the men are dragging their legs, even though the girls still don't know anything about the men's fighting abilities.

The girls don't want to take such attitude that making fun of other hunters, however if the girls don't make them realize their place, the girls will have the same kind of trouble many times in the future.

So, the girls had to do a little demonstration.
And, as usual, Rena issued instructions.

"Maevis, that, please"(Rena)

"Understood.

Excuse me, could someone please throw a copper coin at me?"(Maevis)

"Oh, I'll do it"(Hunter X)

One of the hunters in the guild heard Maevis's words and raised his voice.
Other hunter began to make space around them.
And the hunter threw the coin.

Ki~in! (SFX)

Pashi~! (SFX)

Kachan~ (SFX)

And everyone's eyes were focused on two pieces of copper coin, which were placed on the palm of Maevis.

Yes, it was the usual thing, copper coin slash.

Cut and then grab with the left hand, put the sword back into the sheath with the right hand. Maevis has practiced countless times already, and now it was a technique it has become exclusive for her demonstration.

""""""What ...""""""(Everyone in the guild)

All the hunters and guild officials opened their eyes in surprise. However the leader of the [guardian's contract] still wasn't broken yet.

"So... you are really B rank hunter ...

But no matter how good a B rank you are, you can't protect everyone, you have magicians and minors with D rank.

And we are all vanguards, we should join together in order to protect the rear guards"(First Challenger)

Maevis had wry smile as she replied.

"Well... I don't know exactly how did you come up with that idea but...

We are all C rank, and I'm the weakest among us... No, nothing, forget it"
(Maevis)

Maevis was self-detruction while saying that on her own.

And there was an additional order from Rena.

"Mile!"(Rena)

"Yes, yes!

I'm sorry, would anyone please give me another coin"(Mile)

Heard Mile's word, the man who threw a coin earlier, took out another one from his purse bag.

Kikin (SFX)

Pashi~! (SFX)

Kachan (SFX)

It was the same thing as before, however the different from the previous one was, in Mile's left hand ... was not just 2 pieces but 4 pieces.

"""""" """"""(Everyone)

This time, the leader was also broken.

The vanguards were completely silenced, but this time the magicians in rear guard raised their voice. (Here comes new challenger)

"Can the magician show us your magic?"(Second Challenger)

Although the vanguard already witnessed the copper slashing, but with such a

simple demonstration they couldn't learn anything about the girls' true power.

However, when the magicians demonstrate their magic, they will expose an extent of their magical power. There are various things like: the type of magic, casting speed, magical exercise efficiency, etc., it was possible to measure to a certain extent.

There was an urban legend that it's possible to determine the performance of a tank to a certain extent from a single screw of a tank.

And Pauline replied to that question.

"Well, we can show you, but can we ask for the restoration of the collapsed building and the resurrection of the dead people?

Even though we can destroy it, we can't restore building or resurrect the dead"
(Pauline)

There wasn't anyone that could do such a thing.

"".....""(Magician Hunters in the guild)

Apparently, the magician group was also broken.

Chapter 153: Move

"Well then, we will excuse ourselves"(Pauline)

Pauline said so to Felicia and bowed lightly.

[Red Oath] ended the order procedure and left the guild.

Felicia was stunned for a while and when she finally returned to her mind. She looked at the B rank party that was sitting in the corner table seat, [Silver Claw] and gave out a signal.

In response to that, 5 men stood up in a blink of an eye.

Two swordsmen, one martial artist, and two mages.

From vanguards to magicians in the rear guard, everyone is wearing silver-colored breast plate, of course that is the origin of their party name.

They are B rank hunter party, they can afford their financial situation, everyone is experts themselves (below rank A master and rank S grandmaster/legendary), and they don't really need to chase after some little girls. They just looked at other hunters made a fuss, but they were truly amazed at that copper coin slash.

And now, they received commands from Felicia:[All this],[Follow] and they had to follow in a hurry.

(Translator's Joke: It's not like we care when we saw cute and skillful little girls in the display, followed) (I hope some readers can get the joke. PS: from a online reader site)

[All this]. It was the abbreviation of [Those who were stared at by this person, abandon all hope]

And of course, the hunters didn't intend to go against the instructions given by the receptionist.

Felicia thought, should any party go out, they needed to prepare the necessary supplies, and the [Silver Claw]party was the only one in the state that they could come out anytime. Felicia of course knew about this fact and nominated them.

[Silver Claw]left the guild in a hurry, quickly caught the[Red Oath]within sight.

The girls seem to stop and talk about something, and from the flow of the story that the members of [Silver Claw] were listening in the guild earlier, they avoided to contact with the girls directly, only followed from distance.

"Well, we'll go with [Sonic Move]" (Rena)

""""Oh!"""" (Mile + Pauline + Maevis)

Other girls responded to Rena's words, the 4 girls shift to [Red Oath] high-speed movement mode, the [Sonic Move]

First of all, Rena, Maevis and Pauline un-equipped their sword, staff and even the dummy bags that were carrying on the back. Everything was hand out in front of Mile.

Mile put all of them in storage, take out only small water bottles and handed them to everyone.

Yes, the girls minimize the luggage that they have to raise their movement speed.

Even if a wild bandit group suddenly appeared, it would only take less than a second for Mile to take out weapons from her storage and hand it to everyone. Besides, weapons don't really matter when they use magic. As long as the girls were walking on a high-visibility highway, there should be no danger.

"Destination, Rocky Golem mountain. [Red Oath], departure!" (Rena)

"Oh, they already start walking. What are you doing?" (7th Challenger)

"Come on, let's go!" (6th Challenger)

[Silver Claw] followed after [Red Oath] at regular intervals. However, as soon as they started walking, they noticed it.

"Fast ..." (7th Challenger)

"At this pace, we can't follow!" (6th Challenger)

"But, some of them are only little girls with short legs, they can't keep up this speed for long! They are only temporarily raising speed for some time, they should slow down anytime soon" (7th Challenger)

So were the hunters of [Silver Claw]'s wishful thinking. And of course, they noticed again.

"...Hey, is it only my imagination or they really don't have any luggage"(7th Challenger)

The men can't really notice because they follow from a certain distance, and with that distance even if they notice, they can't distinguish the details of the girls. But, it's really as he said, the girls certainly didn't carry any baggage on the back.

"But I'm sure when they left the guild, they had everything on their shoulder!"
(7th Challenger)

"And in the first place, no hunter can go out of the town without luggage, let alone some place like Rocky Golem Mountain"(6th Challenger)

"""" """"(3th, 4th, 5th Challenger)

And, the movement speed of the [Red Oath]doesn't slow down even after a long time.

No matter how much stronger a male man is, but walking with his weapons and armor also carrying water, food, medicines, camping equipment, other things on the back. They can't keep up with such a speed. Yes, the speed of light foot movement of girls who just carry a small water bottle on their waist...

[Silver Claw]. They all equip silver breast plate from which the party name came.

That all-out armor wasn't only to raise defense, but also a unity's proof of the party, it was also the pride of everyone. But now it was pulling the legs of the [Silver Claw]

That beautifully shining metal armor was heavy.
That was the reason why most of the hunters can only wear leather armor. However, even with that knowledge, this is the policy of this party that everyone came up, even with the magicians in the rear guard also wear a silver breast plate. Their policy was emphasized the defense power rather than the reduction of manpower, to make sure everyone survive. It was never a bad choice because they was be able to reach B rank, it was probably the best choice for this party.

However, now it is backfired.

"... No more, I'm sorry, I can't keep up. I will try to catch up later while they

are taking a break ..."(Third Challenger)

One magician dropped out.

"...This is bad, leave me here and go on ahead. When they decide the camping place, please return to the highway and wait for us to catch up"(4th Challenger)

The second magician also dropped out.

Originally, the magicians is not as strong as the vanguards. Unlike other parties, magicians in this party are also wearing silver breast plate. It was helpful at the time of the battle, but was a stupid burden at the time of moving with carrying baggage.

"Damn, their speed does not go down at all..."(7th Challenger)

A while after the magician dropped out, when the leader complained so, the [Red Oath]in front of them were suddenly running.

""""Wha...!? """"(5th 6th 7th Challenger)

Their distance expanding.

"No, no more with it! It's the limit!"(5th Challenger)

"Ba~a! If we go back as we are, to Felicia...

Do you understand? I mean that [Felicia's All this]!!"(7th Challenger) (T.N: Ba~a = Baka/idiot that not properly said when he out of breath, maybe)

"You can still say such a thing ... Well then, please chase after them, leader. And when they decide where to camp, please come back to guide us"(6th Challenger)

"....."(7th Challenger)

Everyone in the [Silver Claw]finally understood.

At that time, the female swordsman who seemed to be the leader of [Red Oath]said those words. [You can't even follow our moving speed...]
That it was not arrogant words that made fun of other hunters, but simply told the facts.

"Mile, isn't it about time to stop?"(Rena)

"Eh....."(Mile)

"You just planned to lose the tailing party, didn't you?"

I can understand it. Otherwise, you will not suddenly say[Do you want to run for a while]?"(Rena)

"Ahaha ..."(Mile)

Mile scratched her head when the fact was pointed out Rena.

"I am so tired, we can walk now, can't we?"(Pauline)

Pauline felt like crying, her body is the most un-suit-able for physical among the four. And then Mile told the girls returning to walk.

"Here it is"(Rena)

And around the next day's sunset, the [Red Oath]reached the place called the rocky golem mountain. It's all thanks to the maps they gained at the guild branch and other travelers they met on the way taught them the way.

With normal hunters it will take a lot more time. Even so, the girls couldn't just arrive at the destination when it's about to be dark.

They decided to camp for another night and arrived around between the morning and the noon of the following day. Although it's a half day difference, but the difference between acting in the afternoon with a tired body and being able to act in the morning after a good resting is great.

"Well, in order to work hard tomorrow, we should take a good rest today. First prepare meals"(Rena)

"After that, was Japanese [Fukashi talk], wasn't it!"(Mile)

What drive Mile to have [Fukashi talk]so far ...?

Chapter 154: Rockly Golem Mountain

*"Boy Wolf"

Once upon a time there was a wolf boy named Ken ...

(https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wolf_Boy_Ken)

*"Ants and Grasshopper"

Grasshopper(ギリギリス): [Could you please share me some food?]

Ants: [No, it's just for us, Grasshopper ([Gilligiris \(ギリギリッス\)](#))] (T.N: a JP TV variety show)

Grasshopper: [How could ant do something like that? ([そんなの、アリっすか？](#))]
(T.N: The same name with Ari's blog, Ant (アリ) in JP read as Ari)

*"The Little Match Girl"

[That's it! If I'm going be freezing to death,
Then with this match, let's turn the streets into the sea of fire!](T.N: a
Yamanashi Prefecture Fujiyoshida City's festival)

"" "" (Rena + Pauline + Maevis)

Tonight 's [Japanese Fukashi story]also ended successfully, and the 4 girls
went to sleep.

*****Next morning*****

The girls created hot water with magic, and completed a simple breakfast
with[Red Oath]style.

The tent was stored by Mile as it was and the preparation for departure was
completed several times faster than average hunters. The aim is the top of this
rocky mountain. Because from other hunters' information, "they saw suspicious
people were heading to the summit"

Besides, even if this time is a miss, the girls can still do other request: hunting
rock lizards in the middle and collecting medicinal herb that growing on the top
of the rocky mountain, [Rocky summit grass]

... However, Mile thought people should give a little more consideration to the

name.

"2 o'clock direction, 30 meters. 1 Rock lizard, medium size!"(Mile)

"Let's hunt it! Maevis, Mile, Prepare for Charge! Pauline, cast freeze magic, then hold!"(Rena)

""""Roger that!""""(Mile + Maevis + Pauline)

Rena gave instructions promptly to Mile's search magic for enemies. Everyone was already used to it.

Following the previous experience, the girls hunted large quantities, a considerable number of rock lizards have already been stored in Mile's item box. With this, even if the red request ended of failure, hey wouldn't be in the red.

When the girls cleaned up all rock lizard and aim for the summit again, Mile reported.

"At 12:30, Eh ..., This is golems! The number is 3!

Well, because there are rock lizards here, we should have anticipated the existence of a golem, thinking from the previous example ..."(Mile)

""""Eh?""""(Rena + Pauline + Maevis)

The other girls were dumbfound with Mile's report.
And Maevis asked.

"Mile, do you know the name of this place?"(Maevis)

"Ah, yes, I know but ..."(Mile)

"Then, please say it"(Rena)

Rena held her temple and said so from the side.

"Yes, certainly, it's [Rocky Golem mountain],"(Mile)

Before fighting, there were three people attacked by a heavy fatigue.

Dokon! (SFX)

Gashi~i! (SFX)

Meki~yo! (SFX)

Finished.

All three rock golems rolling on the rocky ground after their legs were destroyed. And when they crawling with their arms, Mile and Maevis pierced their heads with a sword, and they completely stopped moving.

"Strange, why they only stop moving after destroying their eyes and the listener, shouldn't it usually stop when a fatal part get destroyed instead..."
(Mile)

Mile tilted her head, but the other three did not care about that at all.

"What are you doing, we will be going!"(Rena)

"Yes, I'm coming!"(Mile)

After that, the 4 girls of[Red Oath]aiming at the top of the rocky mountain while defeating the rock lizard and rock golem, but Mile and Rena were somewhat uncomfortable.

"... Did you notice that?"(Mile)

Rena nodded to Mile.

Maevis and Pauline only vague noticed.

"Strange, from what we heard in the guild, those suspicious guys hid their face, were divided into several groups and they were acting suspiciously ... If they meet a hunter, they will escape in a hurry.

I haven't heard of about tailing"(Rena)

"... their activities have expanded beyond that, have the situation changed?"
(Mile)

Mile replied to Rena.

"As I said, why are you only smart at time like this!"(Rena)

Maevis and Pauline nodded to Rena's retort.

"Uuu, that's rude! Even at the hunter training school, my school grades were better than everyone else!"(Mile)

"Well, indeed, it was, but ..."(Rena)

Maevis and Pauline also weren't convinced.

As she saw their expression, Mile inflated her cheeks (pout)

"Why doesn't anyone agree with me!?"(Mile)



Pauline was somehow soothing the sulking Mile and 4 girls returned to the matter at hand.

"Well, even if we keep moving, we will not get rid of it, so do you want to do it?"(Mile)

"Please"(Rena)

As Rena confirmed, Mile put her hand in the pocket and taking out a sling shot from the item box.

The size of the pocket and the size of the sling shot do not match, but do not think deeply.

Then she took an iron ball from the ammunition pocket and shot it quickly. It isn't a pebble that can be picked up anywhere, the reason why Mile went through trouble made these iron ball, was because she didn't like how a pebble shape distorted. There is a possibility that the hit accuracy will decrease, and if the power is too strong, it will become catastrophe like: cracks or breaks at the same time it hits.

In the case of using iron balls, even if she didn't hit the weak points, it has enough power to penetrate.

Bashi~! (SFX)

"Alright!"(Mile)

It hits.

Apparently, the iron ball seems to penetrate.

Penetration is not a terrible thing. It is much better than many pieces staying in the body. And if iron balls remain in the body, she only has to cut that wound and brings it out.

Of course, she must avoid the vital point.

Although it seems that the [Red Oath]unilaterally made a preemptive strike, but in this world following while hidden in the shade at a close range is an intention to perform a surprise attack so they can't complain if they get attacked instead.

Anyway, if people received a surprise attack, it's overwhelmingly disadvantageous. It is **common sense** to crush down on all the suspicious

person if there are signs. Those who say words such as [Do not counterattack if you don't get attacked yet] or [To meet the requirement as legitimate defense] will soon die. Those one will not survive in this world. (T.N: ^_^ Mile finally follow common sense for once)

So it goes without saying to which party public opinion will rule. Because the dead can not express an opinion.

[They still didn't cause you any harm just by reconnaissance?] No, as suspicious person hiding and stalking, it is adequately hostile behavior, so just make sure not to kill and capture them.

"Now, capture and interrogate ..."(Maevis)

"Don't move!"(Suspicious Leader)

"Flame!"(Rena)

"Tch! Magic Barrier!"(Suspicious Leader)

Rena's flame magic was stopped by a suspicious person that putting up a barrier in a hurry. Since flame magic is different from ice spear that materialized ice fly, it can only be prevented with defense magic.

And the man who seemed to be the leader managed to set up a magic barrier, shouted at Rena.

"Heh, what are you doing, to attack us suddenly!"(Suspicious Leader)

The suspicious men were a group of four. It is the same number as the [Red Oath], and everyone of them is covered with a hood.

They seems like human being, but there are something that seems to be two protrusions that push up the hood.

(((((Kemono Ear!! It's Barebare!)))) (Red Oath) ([T.N: Barebare is meant to hide himself, but it is noticed in the surroundings](#))

Most of the beastkins at that excavation site from before were animals walking upright, or werewolves after transformation, etc, but they are all somewhat close to humans. So in order to blend in, they often make themselves look like humans by hiding other parts.

However Mile's group just met Faryl at the inn, she never hide anything.

In order to avoid being treated like a beastkin by humans, they would have chosen to look like a human as much as possible to the act in secret, Faryl grandparent or ancestors were probably a mixed-blooded person who inherited the positive human gene.

"What are you talking about, isn't that obvious?
It's just a sudden attack on a stalkers lurking in close proximity.
Isn't[Do not move]a declaration that you will capture us, to keep the information hidden.
Why don't you go to the Capital together with us to meet the guards? We don't mind to do that at all"(Rena)

"Ugu ..."(Suspicious Leader)

For Rena's quest, a man who seems to be a leader stuck.

"Let's honestly talk about what you intended to do when follow us, otherwise you will be treated as bandits"(Rena)

"What!? You dare to call us bandits! These humans, what an insult"
(Suspicious man)

"Stupid, shut up!"(Suspicious leader)

The leader stopped his man who angry with Rena in a hurry, but it was already late. They have already confirmed that they are not human beings. Well, there was something on their head hiding in the hood anyway, the girls already knew from the beginning.

"It was something we already heard before.
Well, since we saw your colleagues investigating ruins in other countries, we know the general thing.
Besides, the protruding in that hood of yours. It's barebare.
Because it is so hot, how about turning it down?"(Mile)

"You, just how far did you know!"(Suspicious leader)

Were they giving up hiding their true indentity? The leader was turning his hood down while saying that to Mile. Looking at it, the other three also turned the hood down.

After all, when the ears are covered, sounds and words are hard to hear, and when the ears are being pressed down, there is discomfort ... that what Mile thought.

One horn that peaked out from the bottom of the turned hood.

"Cattle beastkins!"(Mile)

The men yelled at the same time Mile said so.

""""""WE ARE DEVILLLLL! NOT BEASTKINNNNN""""""(4 Devils)

"Eh?"(Mile)

""Ehh?""(Mile + Rena)

""""Ehhhhhhhh?""""""(Red Oath)

It was said that devils and beasts are friendly, but apparently the devils can't stand being seen the same as a beastkin. Race problem is really difficult ...